

<p>Response Under 37 CFR § 1.116 <i>EXPEDITED PROCEDURE</i> EXAMINING GROUP 1624</p>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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AS POLY(ADP-RIBOSE) POLYMERASE INHIBITORS
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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116,
INCLUDING AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

The shortened statutory period for responding to the July 6, 2010 Final Office Action (“Final Office Action”), issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office (“PTO”), ends on October 6, 2010. Accordingly, this response is timely filed with an executed Certificate of Mailing dated on or before October 6, 2010. 37 CFR § 1.8.

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